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Carrolls Won Three Straight Games From Golden Eagles.

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SPORTS IN GENERAL

The Carroll Institute bowlers continue their rapid stride toward top notch of the District Bowling League by winning three well-played games from the Golden Eagles last night. The result places the Carrolls at a tie with the Saengerbund for the lead. The result of the match was not exactly as forecast, for while many bowlers thought the home team would take two of the games, the Eagles were counted as surely good for one. But the Carrolls had on their best bowling garments and played a masterly series, all of the scores being far above the average.

The Eagles also played finely throughout the match, and their defeats were suffered from scores that are more frequently winners. While all of the home players bowled good averages, Gorman particularly distinguished himself, averaging in the nineties and running for twenty-two frames without a break.

Despite the fine score made by the Eagles in the opening game the contest was rather one-sided from the outset. The Carrolls played a great game all the way through the ten frames, finishing the last box with 105 pins. The side had but five breaks in

The score follows: FIRST GAME. Golden Eagles. Te. Golden Eagles.
Sc. Sc. St. Sp.
179 Brandt. 3 5
194 Cott. 1 6
189 Brown. 0 7
205 Stitt. 2 5
161 Ludwig. 3 3 St. Sp.
Brandt.... 3 5
Cott..... 1 6
Brown.... 0 7 St. Harlow.... 3 Smith.... 3 Rice..... 4 Totals...15 30 928 Totals... 9 26 801 The teams bowled steadily together in the second game and the sides were so closely united that the game might have gone either way practically until the last man had bowled. In the final frame, while

the home team finished with four spares and a strike, the visitors had two breaks, and the game went to Carroll on the point. Ludwig distinguished himself by running The score follows: SECOND GAME. Carroll Institute. Golden Eagles. | St. Sp. Sc. | St. Sp. |

Totals...13 26 866 Totals...14 20 824 The Eagles threw away the last game by repeated failures to spare when easy breaks occurred. The team had many opportunities which were not used to advan-tage, yet bowled an even number of spares with the Carrolls. A difference of two strikes on the Institute slate brought victory again to its door, and the side closed with a margin of thirty-three pins. The score follows: THIRD GAME.

Golden Eagles. 179 192 127 Forman... 2 6 172 Stitt..... 3 5 Brosnan... 4 4 191 Ludwig... 3 4 Totals...13 25 861 Totals...11 25 828 Tomorrow night there will be a league match at the Y. M. C. A. Saengerbund will send the contesting team. The standing of the clubs follows:

 Saengerbund.
 14
 7

 Carroll Institute.
 18
 9

 Jolly Fat Men's Club
 16
 11

 Y. M. C. A.
 12
 12

 Golden Eagles.
 12
 15

 Business Men.
 3
 21

NEW TWELVE-CLUB LEAGUE. Outline of American League Which Would Help Out Spalding.

From the New York Sun.
Although Barney Dreyfuss of Pittsburg within the past week has expressed himself as being satisfied with the campaign made by A. G. Spalding against Freedmanism, a report comes from the west that unless some sort of a settlement between the warring factions in the National League is reached within the next six weeks the Pittsburg club will apply for a franchise in the American League. When this report was repeated to James A. Hart of the Chicago Nationals on Tuesday, he said:

"I do not believe there is anything in it, but at the same time there is no doubt in my mind that the American League would be glad to have Dreyfuss in its list. Dreyfuss is one of the few real sports left in the

National League."
Whether this report is true or not, it shows what can be done by the four Spalding clubs when they are convinced that the Freedman crowd will not give way Brooklyn, Pittsburg, Philadelphia and Chi cago can readily apply to the American League for franchises. Then, with new clubs in this city and Cincinnati, a twelveclub circuit can be organized, made up in

this way:
The New League. Boston-American League club, owned by C. W. Somers and others. Brooklyn-National League club, owned by F. A. Abell, H. R. Von der Horst, C. H.

Ebbets and Edward Hanlon. New York-New club, owned by E. B. Talcott and a local syndicate. Philadelphia—Combination of the National League and American League clubs, the new concern to be owned by A. J. Reach, John I. Rogers and Benjamin Shibe Baltimore-American League club, owned

by stock company, including John J. Mc Graw and Wilbert Robinson. Washington-American League club wheel by Fred. Postal and others. Chicago—Combination of National League and American League clubs, the new concern to be controlled by Charles Comiskey Pittsburg National League club, cham-pions, owned and controlled by Barney

Dreyfuss.
St. Louis—American League club just established there, owned by Matt Killilea and others, formerly of Milwaukee. Cincinnati-New club, owned by the Fer ris syndicate.

Detroit—American League club, with new

owners, and Frank Dwyer, manager.
Cleveland—American League club, controlled by J. F. Kilfoyle and others. The Best Talent Included. All of these clubs would control the best playing talent in America, and with Ban Johnson president, having full powers to enforce the rules as in the past, there would be very little friction and plenty of

good sport.

Base ball men, including even Brush, admit that it was a fatal mistake to reduce the National League circuit two years ago from twelve to eight clubs, for the reason that it permitted the American League to expand by moving into the east. Therefore it is within reason to expect a further expansion to twelve clubs on the part of the American League in order to kill off what remains of the once powerful National League, and in so doing President Johnson can employ National League timber to effectually cinch a plan that seems the only feasible way out of the present difficulty.

GOUGOLTZ IS GAME.

Hadfield and Freeman Have Collar Bones Broken. Jean Gougoits, who has not slept since

Monday, gave a wonderful exhibition of endurance yesterday in the Philadelphia six

who took advantage of the illness of his nchman trailed the riding mate, the riding mate, the Frenchman trailed the sprinters with building tenacity, while Wilson remained under the care of a physician in the quarters below.

In a collision late last night Hadfield and Freeman broke the collar bones.

The score at 10:30.

Gongoltz and Wilson Date Monro and McRachern Monro and McRachern Monro and McRachern Monro and Butz Chevallier and Fisher Monro and Barclay The record was 510 miles.

AMONG THE WHISTERS.

Interesting Local Compass Games and Reports From A. W. L. Match. The usual weekly round of compass whist was played last night in the parlors of the Yarborough Whist Club, fourteen tables being necessary to accommodate all those who desired to participate. The hands were unusually interesting, many being of the six and seven tricks variety, and as a result the end play was very clever. Mrs. E. P. Goodrich and Mrs. Dimick headed the east and west division with 133 tricks, while Mr. and Mrs. Burleigh, Mr. Young and Miss McWilliams, and Mrs. Wittaker and Mrs. Carpenter were tied for first-place honors of the north and south contingent with 148 tricks. At Saturday afternoon's session of the club, Mrs. Stephens had the honor of mak-

ing top score.

The match at Minneapolis for the Challenge trophy of the American Whist League was played by the following: Minneapolis Whist and Chess Club, hold-er-O. H. Briggs, captain; W. T. Fraser, E. A. Montgomery, F. E. Barney and W.

H. Wheeler.
St. Paul Whist and Chess Club, challenger—O. M. Metcalf, captain; M. L. Countryman, Norman Fetter and T. J. The result was another victory for Min-

neapolis. The team gained twelve singles, four doubles, one triple and one quadruple, a total of twenty-seven tricks, and lost twelve singles and two doubles, a total of sixteen, Minneapolis winning by eleven tricks. The match was not particularly well played, Minneapolis beating St. Paul thirteen tricks in the first half and St. Paul beating Minneapolis two tricks in the sec-ond half; and there were changes on thirty-two of the forty-eight deals. The Hamilton club of Chicago is the next chalenger in line.

FITZ WILLING TO FIGHT.

Meet Jeffries, Winner

Bob Fitzsimmons has at last come out with a positive offer to fight Jim Jeffries. Nettled by the champion's latest talk, which Fitzsimmons takes as an imputation on his honesty, Fitz, who is in New York, yesterday issued a formal statement offering to fight Jeffries, winner to take all the purse as proposed by the champion ten days ago. Fitz makes the proviso that there be a side bet of \$20,000. He asks some sportsman to put up the money for him, so that he can show Jeffries that he is mistaken as to his honesty and fighting ability.

It now ought to be an easy matter to bring Jeffries and Fitz together. Jeffries announced in New York city last Sunday that he was willing to waive a side bet and fight Fitz for the purse. He has since repeated this in Philadelphia. As Fitz appears to have some difficult in raising. \$20,000 for a side bet it would seem that he ought to be willing to do like Jeffries and waive the side bet altogether. That would bring the whole matter down to the "winner take all" proposition, which Jeff has frequently said was his ultimatum in refrequently said was his ultimatum in regard to a fight with Fliz.

"In reply to Jeffries' statement that he has used every honest means to induce me to fight," said Fitz yesterday, "I can say that I have never heard personally from either Jeffries on his manager. I

from either Jeffries or his manager. I never asked Jeff for any inducements. "If any sportsman will back me for \$20, 000 I will fight him, winner to take all. All I will ask if I win is the purse. I didn't thinks I am dishonest or a bluffer I will show him who is a quitter."

Western League Meeting Adjourns. The Western League managers, who have oeen in session in Kansas City, adjourned ast night to meet at Denver on or about February 15. They decided to make the eague season five months. Ten per cent of the gate receipts of each series of games is to be placed in a general fund with which to defray league expenses and establish a sinking fund, and each club is to deposit \$500 as a guarantee to carry out its obli-gations. The selection of umpires and the fixing of their salaries was referred to

He received instructions to call the Denver meeting when the season's schedules shall have been arranged. Lawson Posts His Forfeits. Thomas W. Lawson of Boston yesterday sent to New York two checks of \$5,000 each to close the two races between his trotter Boralma and E. E. Smathers' Lord Derby and The Abbot, owned by ex-Fire Commissioner Scannell. This is the outcome of Mr. Lawson's original challenge to trot Boralma against any horse in the world.

The arrangements for the two matches now stand as follows: The Beralma-Lord

Derby race and the Boralma-The Abbot race will be trotted some time between 15 and September 1, and will be for \$20,000 a side. The club offering the larg est stake will get the contests, and the two matches will be decided in favor of the winner of the best three out of five heats in each case. Mr. Lawson says in his let-ter accompanying the checks: "In regard to this race, I do not want to split any hairs. Whatever is fair and right will suit me." Of the remainder of the side stakes, \$5,000 is to be posted on the signing of articles, \$5,000 on July 1 and the remaining \$5,000 on the night before the race.

Gans May Box Erne. There is a good chance of "Joe" Gans meeting Frank Erne again in the ring. Walter Schlichter of Philadelphia, who went to Buffalo to get Erne's consent to a

match before the Penn Athletic Club of Philadelphia, seems to have landed his He telegraphed last night to Maurice A. Herford at Baltimore to sign Gans for Feb-ruary 10, adding, "I shall send articles of

Gans has been anxious to get this match ever since he lost to Erne in New York the night Gans was blinded by a cut over the The battle in Philadelphia will, of course, e for six rounds only, according to law.

Following the Chevy Chase Hounds. The beautiful weather yesterday brought out many followers of the hounds in the meet of the Chevy Chase Club. The pack was cast in the orchard adjoining the club house shortly after 3 o'clock and started on a brisk pace along the bridle path which on a brisk pace along the bridle path which encircles the golf links. For a short while those who had remained at the club house could see the pack and its followers for a good distance until it was lost to sight in the surrounding woods. After this short gallop they came to some low hedges which were easily taken by the more skillful riders. They then started in an eastwardly direction and traversed the Chevy Chase Land Company, thence over the Duniop farm. The run was ended in the opening at the Chevy Chase Inn. at the Chevy Chase Inn.

The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mr. Montgomery Blair on the 7th street road, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'cles.

MR. REID IS PERSONA GRATA. His Recent Appointment Very Satis

factory to British. A London dispatch says: The appointment of Whitelaw Reid as special ambassador to represent the United States at the coronation of King Edward has been received with much satisfaction in official and unofficial circles here. The Globe says: "The selection is a very happy one, as

Mr. Reid has always been persona grata in this country, and has done all he could, and that has been a great deal, to promote good relations between his country and our own. The name of Mr. Cleveland was own. The name of Mr. Cleveland was originally suggested, but we are glad President Roosevelt did not adopt the suggestion. We, cannot quite forget the Venezuelan message to Congress."

state and fines imposed for offenses against the commonwealth are to go to the fund for the support of the free schools of the state.

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ROCKVILLE AND VICINITY.

Anti-Saloon League Petitions for Amendment of Local Option Law.

ROCKVILLE, Md., January 15, 1902. Members of the Montgomery County Anti-Saloon League are circulating in all sections of the county petitions addressed to the county's representatives in the legislature asking that the existing local option law of the county be so amended that the penalty for each violation after the first shall be a fine of not less than \$50, nor more than \$300, and imprisonment in the house of correction for not less than three months nor more than twelve months. For the first offense it is proposed to leave the penalty the same as under the existing law-s fine of from \$50 to \$300, with imprisonment in default of payment. It is understood that these petitions are being numerously signed by the best citizens of the county, and the members of the league are very hopeful of having the law amended as de

such a change would result in the strict enforcement of the law.

Mr. Milton Darius Garrison and Miss Florence Virginia Clark, both of Washing-ton, came out to Rockville this afternoon and were married by Rev. Thomas H. Campbell, pastor of the Baptist Church,

the ceremony taking place at the Baptist parsonage. Immediately afterward the young couple returned to the city.

The recently elected board of directors of the Montgomery County Agricultural So-clety-Messrs, John H. Bogley, David H. Warfield, Charles Veirs, Lee Offutt, John H. Gassaway, John C. Bentley, Henry H. Griffith, Josiah W. Jones, Charles W. Fields, Henry H. Miller and Arthur Willerday, Henry H. Millerday, liams-met here today and re-elected the following officers: President, Lee Offutt; vice president, John H. Cassaway; secretary, John E. Muncaster; treasurer, John

In addition to the election of officers, the most important business before the meeting was the consideration of the proposition to enlarge the third-of-a-mile race track at the fair grounds here to a half-mile course The unanimous sentiment of the board was in favor of the improvement, and a com mittee, composed of Messrs. Lee Offutt, Charles Veirs, Charles W. Fields and David H. Warfield, was appointed to take the mat-ter in charge. This committee will proceed at once to have specifications prepared, to advertise for bids for the construction of a half-mile track, to make all arrangements to borrow the necessary money and to get everything in readiness t proceed with the work without delay in case the meeting of the members of the society which will be held in February, decides by a three-fourths vote in favor of the project. It is believed that the members are in favor of a larger track and there is no reason to doubt but that the work of construction will be begun without unnecessary delay and will be completed in time for the next annual exhibition of the society.

AT WORK ON EDUCATIONAL REPORT. Virginia Convention Cuts Out Provision for University and V. M. I. Special Correspondence of The Evening Star.

RICHMOND, Va., January 15, 1902.

The convention was engaged today in the further consideration of the report of the committee on education and public instruction, and when the hour for adjournment arrived it was found that the convenment arrived it was found that the conven-tion had cut the University of Virginia from the report, and that the general as-sembly would be left free to deal with the matter as it sees fit. The matter came up in section 12 of the report, which provided that the general assembly should appro-priate not less annually for the mainte-nance of the university then is now appropriate not less annually for the mainte-nance of the university than is now appro-priated (\$50,000), and also providing that the sum of \$25,000 should be set aside by the state for the Virginia Military Insti-tute. The appropriation was defeated by the adoption of a motion to strike from the report the entire section dealing with the university and the Virginia Military the report the entire section dealing with the university and the Virginia Military Institute. When the convention adjourned, however, a motion was pending to provide for the retention of that section of the re-port which deals solely with the university, of which Mr. Moore of Fairfax is the pa-tron. The other sections of the report which were considered and adopted are as follows: Five, requiring the appointment of which were considered and adopted are as follows: Five, requiring the appointment of three trustees for each school district in the state. The report recommended their election by the people, but it was pointed out that in many sections of the state the schools would be under the control of negroes, and an amendment providing for appointment went through in a jiffy.

Six and seven deal wholly with the matter of revenues for the support of the schools and for the distribution of the funds on the basis of school population. The tax for school purposes is not to be less than five mills on the dollar, and all moneys derived from the sales of public lands and which shall be forfeited to the state and fines imposed for offenses against

schools other than primary, normal, agri-cultural, manual training and technical for the education of pupils. Nine, requiring children between the ages of eight and thirteen years to attend school until they can read and write.
Ten prohibits the teaching of whites and

negroes in the same schools tions of institutions not wholly under state or municipal control, and to the interest-bearing bonds held by some of the colleges of the state. It was passed by until the report of the committee on finance and taxation is submitted

Section 12 is the one relating to the University of Virginia and the Virginia Mili-tary Institute, and was stricken out, as stated above. An amendment is pending to provide for an annual appropriation to the university, the Virginia Military In-stitute and the Female Normal College, the purpose being to kill the appropriation for the university unless the other schools are provided for by the state.

GAITHERSBURG NEWS.

Parmers' Institute in Session - Bank Elects Officers. pecial Correspondence of The Evening Star.

GAITHERSBURG, Md., January 15, 1902. The annual farmers' institute for Montgomery county began its sessions this afternoon in Masonic Hall. Prof. Wm. L. Amoss, the state director, is in charge, and in opening the institute made an address outlining the objects and what has been accomplished by the Maryland Agricultural College in the interest of progressive farming throughout the state. The program of the session during the afternoon included addresses by Mr. H. P. Miller, on "The Care of the Horse," and by Mr. H. E. Van Deman, on "Some Things We Often See, but Rarely Know." Sessions continue dur-

ing Thursday.

The election of officers of the First National Bank took place Wednesday, directors being chosen, without opposition, as follows: James E. Ayton, Nathan Cooke, J. B. Diamond, I. T. Fulks, S. S. Hays, Albert F. Meem, P. M. Smith, H. Maurice Talbott, Dr. Wm. A. Waters, Horace D. Waters, J. S. Windsor, Capt. James, Anderson, S. O. Jones, Belle Ward, Ulyssess Griffith, C. H. Hoskinson. At a subsequent meeting of the directors these officers were chosen: John B. Dia-mond, president; H. M. Talbott, vice presdent; Robert B. Moore, cashier; James E. Trundle, assistant cashier. Mr. Arthur Hogan has accepted a clerkship in the

The funeral of Mrs. William H. Gardiner. who died suddenly at the family residence in this town Monday, took place at 11 o'clock today from St. Rose's Catholic Church, where the deceased was a communicant. Father Gilbert McDonald of ficiated. Mr. Gardiner and these children, Mrs. Ignatius Penn, Miss Hetty Gardiner, Mr. Lewis Gardiner and Mr. Bernard Gardiner, survive her.

At the Methodist parsonage last evening Mr. William F. Ware and Miss Maude Johnson were united in marriage by Rev. Wm. A. McDonald.

Hacked to Pieces by Mafia. Michael Portolis, an Italian, was found in a deserted shanty at Dubois, Pa., Monday afternoon with more than forty knife slashes in his body. Through an interpreter, Portolis informed the police that members of the Mafia society had sought his life. He was attacked by five men, cut and backed in a frightful manner, and only the assurance by one member of the murderous party that he was quite dead prevented them from cutting off his head. He was conscious during the assault, and named Tony and Pasquoli Zappia, Saverio Pollesori, Dominic Seig and Michale Papila as his assailants. They have all fied from the region. the region.



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